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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Gerald M. Clum and Eric M.

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This application comprises 12 pages of specification, 1 page(s) of Abstract, and 4 page(s) of claim(s), 4 sheet(s) of drawings.

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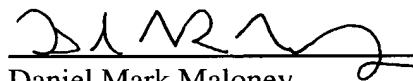
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